

TRANSMITTAL FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

Total Number of Pages in This Submission

Application Number

09/621,788

Filing Date

07/21/2000

First Named Inventor

Daniele Casalin

Group Art Unit

1712

Examiner Name

C. Keehan

Attorney Docket Number

12707 P03

RECEIVED
JULY 18 2003
GROUP 1700

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

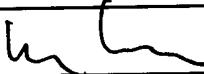
- Fee Transmittal Form
- Fee Attached
- Amendment / Reply
 - After Final
 - Affidavits/declaration(s)
- Extension of Time Request
- Express Abandonment Request
- Information Disclosure Statement
- Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
- Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application
- Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53

- Assignment Papers (for an Application)
- Drawing(s)
- Licensing-related Papers
- Petition
- Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application
- Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address
- Terminal Disclaimer
- Request for Refund
- CD, Number of CD(s) _____

Remarks

- After Allowance Communication to Group
- Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
- Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
- Proprietary Information
- Status Letter
- Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual name	Jerry Cohen, Reg. No. 20,522	
Signature		
Date	04/04/2003	

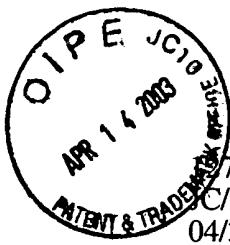
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on this date:

04/04/2003

Typed or printed name	Jerry Cohen		
Signature		Date	04/04/2003

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.



707 P03
C/mej
04/30/03

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Daniele Casalini

Serial No: 09/621,788

Filed: July 21, 2000

For: SURFACE-COATED HARD MATERIAL, PRODUCTION METHOD FOR
THIS, AND USE OF THE SAME

Exam: C. Keehan

Art Unit: 1712

Perkins, Smith & Cohen
One Beacon Street
Boston, MA 02108
(617) 854-4000

TO: Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Box Responses

RESPONSE B

Sir:

Responsive to the action dated 12 November 2002 (two-month extension request filed herewith), please amend the application as follows:

X12/1
4/22/03
GROUP 1700
4/22/03
RECEIVED